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For: Attachment Pin for an Exhaust-Gas Muffler

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Also enclosed are:

Four (4) sheet(s) of drawing.

An assignment of the invention to _____.

A certified copy of the German application.

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